

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Application of:

Stephen S. Ing

Application No.: 10/621,102

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Confirmation No.: 8437

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR BIT RATE CONTROL IN A  
DIGITAL VIDEO  
ENVIRONMENT FOR  
ARBITRARY BANDWIDTH

Examiner: Vo, Tung T.

Group Art Unit: 2621

Customer No.: 60,172

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed November 5, 2009 ("Office Action"). Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.